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Peace has its heroes as well as war.
A Baltimore bachelor has married a
widow with 18 children.—Elizabeth-
town News.

The President has completed his
message and gone over it with his
cabinet ministers. The next minis-
ter he consults will be a minister of
the gospel.

The next Legislature ought to pass
a law protecting all game birds in
Kentucky for a period of five years.
It ought to go further and prohibit
forever the slaughter of doves.

Yuan Shi Kai, who is preparing to
take the throne of China from the
little emperor whom he deposed to
become president, says he will pay
the emperor \$4,000,000 a year
as long as he lives. But in the
meanwhile he will occupy the throne
himself.

A collie dog at Buckner, Mo.,
spends much of his time lying on the
grave of his master, who died a
month ago. He had lain on the
doorstep for two weeks, while his
master was ill and followed his body
to the distant cemetery to which he
returns every day.

Hillstrom, the murderer who was
executed at Salt Lake City, over the
protest of the President, was un-
doubtedly guilty, according to all
published reports of the affair. His
crime was an atrocious one and Gov.
Spry no doubt acted for the public
good in letting the law take its
course.

In McCreary county, where the
Republicans tried to steal 180 votes
and were caught with the goods, the
whole county ought to be thrown
out. And there ought to be some
way to find out frauds in counties
where the ballot-box stuffers were
not caught.

Suppose we drop the subject of
that poor little deformed and dis-
eased baby that a mother in Chicago
wouldn't let the doctors carve up in
an effort to prolong its little life, be-
fore it was a week old. The mother
did the only sensible thing in leaving
her child in the hands of the God
who gave it and who took it away.

Sign of Unpopularity.
"He is noted for his moral courage,"
"Dear me! he is as unpopular as all
that!"—Life.

Serving Dinner.

With the help of this suggestion
women who do their own work and
have a good deal of company can ar-
range things so that with the aid of
their tea wagons they can serve four-
course dinners without getting up
from the table or leaving the room.
The cold dessert has presented many
a problem, as well as the hot main
course. One way to keep things hot
after they are ready for the table is
to put the serving dishes into a home-
made "fireless" fixed up for the pur-
pose. Line a large candy box with
asbestos and paint it white. Tightly
covered, things keep hot in it for fif-
teen or twenty minutes, giving time to
get the first course out of the way.
When you do not need this box to
keep the main course hot, use it to
keep the dessert cold. It delays the
melting of ice cream, for instance.

Good Use for Idols.

A missionary in Travancore, south-
ern India, saw one morning a native
coming to his house with a heavy bur-
den. On reaching it he laid on the
ground a sack. Unfastening it, he
emptied it of its contents—a number
of idols. "What have you brought
these here for?" asked the mission-
ary. "I don't want them." "You have
taught us that we do not want them,
sir," said the native; "but I think they
might be put to good use. Could they
not be melted down and made into a
bell for our church?" The hint was
taken. They sent the idols to a bell
founder, who made them into a bell
which now summons the native con-
verts to praise and prayer.

FARM
POULTRY

WASHING MACHINE FOR EGGS

Increased Profits Made by Putting
Product of Hens in Neat and At-
tractive Packages.

It has been found by those who han-
dle foodstuffs that it pays to put the
goods up in attractive shape or pack-
ages. It is no uncommon thing to see
vegetables tied up in ribbons, and
fruit, which formerly traveled in bar-
rels, is now packed in small boxes
resembling confectionery in the way
they are handled. The same applies



Washing Eggs.

to the fruit of the henry. An egg
farmer who gets a reputation for the
quality and appearance of his eggs
will always get a premium above the
price for his product, and this in-
creased price makes it worth while
for him to exercise the necessary care.
Such persons not only examine each
egg before it is shipped, but they are
also washed by hand, in order that
they present an immaculate appear-
ance when placed on view. The ma-
chine shown in the accompanying cut
has been recently patented for the
purpose of washing eggs. It does the
work as well as if done by hand and
much more rapidly.

FOWL WITH LARGE APPETITE

May Be Picked Out on Roost at Night
by Size of Crop—Judge Capacity
by Shape of Body.

The hen with a large appetite can
be picked out on the roost at night by
the size of the crop. The capacity of
a bird may be judged by the shape of
the body. The jointed ribs allow the
rear part of the body to expand down-
ward, taking on a wedge-shape, as the
digestive system and reproductive or-
gans demand more room. This spread
may be judged by the distance be-
tween the rear end of the breast bone
and the pelvic bones. A bird spread
from heavy production should not be
confused with one spread from being
overfat.

The high producer invariably shows
what we might term as quality, that is,
soft, pliable skin over breast bone and
abdominal cavity.

The skin of the nonproducer or the
bird out of condition will have a hard
leathery or drawn feeling.

While the shape of the overfat hen
may indicate capacity, the body cavity
is filled with fat rather than organs of
digestion and production, and the skin
is lacking in that quality which ap-
pears in the high producer.

MAKE NEST BOXES MOVABLE

Easy Opportunity Afforded to Give
House Thorough Cleaning and
Fight Injurious Vermin.

Everything in the henhouse should
be movable—nests, roosts, dust
boxes, etc. This gives an easy chance
to fight vermin, and also to give the
house a thorough cleaning. The old
practice of nailing nests, roosts and
all fixtures to the building was a
bad mistake, and there is no wonder
that lice reigned supreme.

T. W. Ware, Hammon, N. J., has



Common-Sense Nest Boxes.

a novel nest method. Ordinary boxes
are used; these are so placed that
the lower box provides a platform
for the upper nest, upon which the
hens can easily alight. These nests
are readily taken outdoors and thor-
oughly cleaned. The illustration gives
the idea very clearly.—Farm Journal.

HARD WORK HANDLING DUCKS

Easier to Care for Fowls in Large
Flocks Than Small—Grower
Turns His Money Quickly.

Ducks can be handled in large num-
bers better than most other fowls and
the grower turns his money quickly,
for by the end of summer he is
cleaned out, having only a few scores
or many hundreds of breeders to
carry through the winter, the number
depending on the size of his business.
The work is exceedingly exacting
and most arduous while the busy sea-
son lasts.

Pelvic Bones of Best Layers.

The best layers usually have slender,
pliable pelvic bones, while the
poor layers have hard, rigid bones
even though they are spread during
production.

Dread of an Operation.

N. Manchester, Ind.—Mrs. Eva
Bashore, of this place says: "I
suffered female misery of every de-
scription. Two doctors attended me
and advised an operation. I lost
weight until I weighed only ninety
pounds. I dreaded an operation,
and, instead, began to take Cardui.
In a short time I gained 25 pounds,
and feel as well as I ever did. Cardui
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back strength and ambition. It is a
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ments, and you are urged to try it
for your troubles. Ask your drug-
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—Advertisement.

Preferred Locals

John J. sells and rents tents.

Smithson, Water delivered Tues-
days and Saturdays. Phone 633-1.
—Advertisement.

See J. H. Dagg for contracting
building and general repairwork of
all kinds. Phone 476.
—Advertisement.

Good morning! Have you
seen The Courier?
Evansville's best paper.
—Advertisement.

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ear corn. Want 50,000 bushels.
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bulbs just in and the prices are the
same low prices we have maintained
for several years on first class bulbs.
—METCALFE THE FLORIST.
—Advertisement.

For Rent.

Cottage on West 17th street, bath
and electric lights.
CHAS. M. MEACHAM.

The Yellow Narcissus are far bet-
ter than Sacred Lilies and half the
cost. Metcalfe has just received an
importation of these as well as all
other bulbs and as usual about half
city prices.—Advertisement.

For Sale

Four H. P. Gasoline tank cooled
International engine, in good con-
dition, at a very low price. May be
seen at PLANTERS HDW. CO.
Incorporated.
—Advertisement.

BULBS.

We have just received from Hol-
land our importation of bulbs, con-
sisting of Hyacinths, Narcissus, yel-
low and white, Tulips, etc.
T. L. METCALFE, Florist.

Penalty on Taxes.

For the state and county will go
on November 30. Pay up now and
save this penalty and possibly other
expenses.

JEWELL SMITH, S. C.

—Advertisement.

Candy Price List.

Hoarhound drops, extra
strong, per lb.....15c
Peanut candy, per lb.....15c
Cocoanut candy, per lb.....15c
Napoleon cream candy, per lb.....20c
P. J. BRESLIN,
No. 8, Sixth Street.

Glycerin for the Feet.

Doctor Benians, a well-known
French physician, recommends the use
of glycerin in cases of too profuse per-
spiration of the feet, producing a dis-
agreeable odor. He says this odor is
due to a production of poisonous sub-
stances by bacteria. One has only to
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every morning and the distressing
trouble will disappear.

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ear corn. Want 50,000 bushels.
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French Politeness.

As a polite nation the French un-
doubtedly lead the world, thinks a
contributor to a British weekly. The
other day a Paris dentist's servant
opened the door to a woebegone pa-
tient. "And who, monsieur," he ques-
tioned in a tender tone, "shall I have the
misery of announcing?"

F. B. Beers, dead in Rome, N. Y.,
had been 52 years with one newspa-
per.

GOOD
ROADS

MILEAGE OF CONCRETE ROADS

Growth in Popularity Indicated by
Rapid Increase in Recent Years
in United States.

The mileage of concrete pavements
in the United States has increased
rapidly, and it is likely to continue
to increase, according to a new bulle-
tin of the United States department
of agriculture. This bulletin gives
the estimated amount of concrete
pavement in the United States in 1914
as 19,200,000 square yards; in 1909 it
was only 364,000 square yards.

The principal advantage of concrete
pavements which have led to this in-
crease in popularity are said to be:

1. Durability under ordinary traffic conditions.
2. A smooth, even surface offering little resistance.
3. Absence of dust and ease with which it may be cleaned.
4. Comparatively small cost of maintenance until renewals are necessary.
5. Availability as a base for another type of surface if desirable.
6. Attractive appearance.

In commenting upon these advan-
tages the bulletin states that the du-
rability of concrete roads has not yet
been proved by actual practice, be-
cause there are no very old pave-
ments as yet in existence, but from
the condition of those which have un-
dergone several years' service it
seems probable that they will be
found to wear well.

The disadvantages of concrete as a
road surface are:

1. Its noise under horse traffic.
2. The wearing of the necessary joints in the pavement, and the tendency to crack, with its consequent rapid deterioration.
3. The difficulty of repairs when these become necessary.

In the past efforts have frequently
been made to overcome these objec-
tions to a certain degree by covering
the concrete pavement with a bitu-
minous wearing surface. At the present
time, the specialists in the department
hold that this cannot be economically

New Jersey State Road, Bituminous
Macadam.

justified, although it is possible that
future investigation may change the
situation in this respect. In the pre-
sent state of road science, however, it
seems that where traffic conditions
are such that a bituminous surface
on a concrete road is practicable a
bituminous-surface macadam road
would be equally practicable and
certainly cheaper. Where traffic is too
heavy for macadam road the bitu-
minous surface is likely to give way
and the uneven manner in which it
falls tends to produce excessive wear
on portions of the concrete.

For a successful concrete road, hard-
ness, toughness and uniformity are
the most essential qualities. These
can be secured to a great extent by
care in the selection of the constitu-
ent materials and the proportions in
which they are mixed. Sample speci-
fications are included in the bulletin,
No. 249, "Portland Cement Concrete
Pavements for Country Roads." These
specifications are believed to typify
the best engineering practice as it
has been developed up to this time.
They cover such points as materi-
als, grading, subgrade and con-
struction.

Good Roads Appreciated.
"Motor cars," said Mr. Chuggins,
"have done more than anything else
to make people appreciate good
roads."

"But your machine is constantly
breaking down, regardless of the
road."
"Yes. But it's a great comfort not
to have to climb around in a mud-
hole while I am fixing it."

Farmer Saves His Horses.
In considering roads, remember that
no town looks so good to the farmer
that he will kill his horse to get there.

Improve Rural Conditions.
Good roads will improve every con-
dition of rural life; and they will
cost you no more than poor roads are
costing you now.

Increases Farm Value.
The better the roads to a farmer's
residence, the closer it brings his farm
to town, thereby increasing the value
of the farm.

Isolated Town.
If the roads around a town are bad,
it might as well be on an island.

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The Kind You Have
Always BoughtBears the
Signature

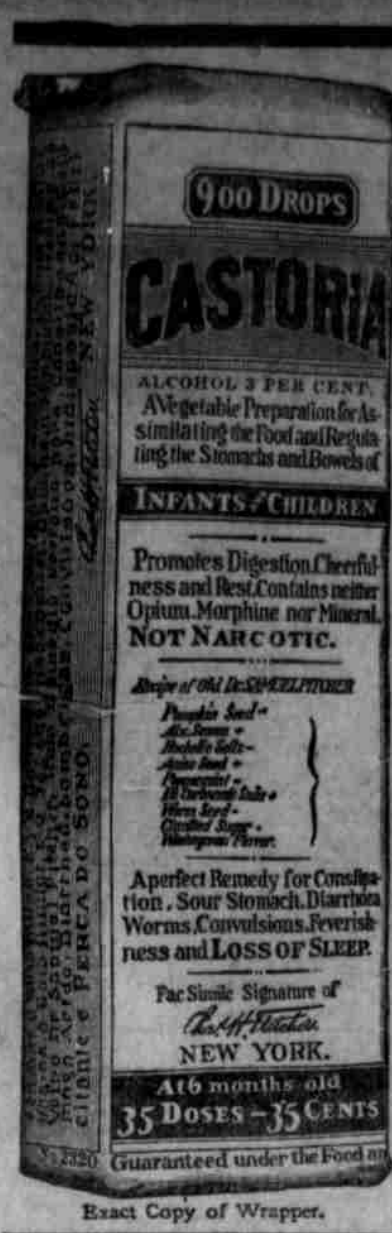
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